WITH THE FARMERS

By Prof. W. F. MASSEY

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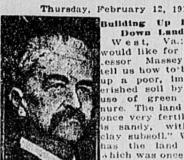
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corn sow an early variety of pea of a bush habit like the New Era. At ma-

turity cut the corn and cure in shocks. Then, if the growth of the peas has

NOTICE.

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Joseph Service of the process of the

the three-year rotation which I have before given in these columns.

The problem is to restore the new ground conditions that formerly existed in the most economical manner. As I have said, this cannot be entirely done without restoring what has been taken from the soil in the shape of plant food. Dr. Detrich, with a little daily farm on the borders of Philadelphia, Pa., boasted that he had made his little farm very rich without using an ounce of commercial fertilizer. But he did what amounted to the same thing the bought and fed grain that had been grown elsewhere, and few general farmers can afford to do that. You must understand then at the start, that it is necessary to supply the legumes, on which we will depend for the humus restoration, with the forms of plant food they especially need. They will get us the nitrogen, but they cannot restore the phosphates and conditions that have been carried off from the soil. Then to start the three-year rotation we begin with the corn crop, and plant the three fields at the proposition that in the side and a feet the clover and per crops and portash that have been carried off from the soil. Then to start the three-year rotation we begin with the corn crop, and plant the three fields at the start are of 400 pounds an acre.



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"In reaching conclusions as to the most desirable appointments, an en-deavor should be made to select per-sons whose business and tempera-mental equipment is likely to reflect

credit on the postal service,

("Signed) A. S. BURLESON,

"Postmaster-General." Purpose of Burleson's Letter.

Opinions differ among Congressmen as to the exact purpose of Burleson's letter. Some say it was purely for political effect. Some claim to be able to read between the lines a big bluff at carrying out the administration's dec-laration to abide strictly by the civil service, and at the same time leave a loophole whereby the Congressman, be he in the good graces of the admin-istration, can dictate all the appoint-ments in his district. Still others be-lieve the department sincere in its carrying out the administration's dec civil service declarations, and will ob-serve a strict attitude of "hands off," allowing the department to have the credit or criticism for naming a man who is, or who is not, the choice of

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The disposition of the first few of-fices will be watched with great anxiety as indicating the department's fu-ture course.

Thousands upon thousands of telegraphed: "I will take the examina-tion for postmaster here to-morrow, Will depend on you to pull me through." Some sent special delivery letters of this kind: "I took the examination for postmaster at this place yesterday. Do your best there to get me the office."

Now the letters are coming by the hundreds, asking whether or not it is true that the Congressmen will, or will not, have any say regarding the dis-

Dr. T. M. Hawkins and Associate

FURTHER DEFINITION OF INCOME TAX LAW

understandings.

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